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Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER Docket Number (Optional) P5583 37 CFR 1.136(a) In re Application of: Tuan Tran **Application Number:** Group Art Unit: 3624 09/711,945 Filed: Examiner: Stefano KARMIS November 15, 2000 For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DEVELOPING AND USING A REQUEST FOR TRANSACTION FRAMEWORK This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired): One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ 120.00 Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$ 450.00  $\boxtimes$ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$ 1,020.00 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1,590.00 Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2,160.00 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half and the resulting fee is \$ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit  $\boxtimes$ any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1123. I am the assignee of record of the entire interest. applicant/inventor attorney or agent of record. attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) SIGNATURE: Typed or printed name: Kent A. Lembke, Reg. No. 44,866

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